## SUSQUEHANNA RIVER BASIN COMMISSION

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MEDIA ADVISORY

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## SRBC TO MEET; DISCUSS 2007 SHAD RUN, COASTAL PLAIN AQUIFER STUDY, HYDROLOGIC CONDITIONS; ACT ON WATER WITHDRAWAL AND USE APPLICATIONS; PRESENT GODDARD AWARD

WHAT:

The Susquehanna River Basin Commission (SRBC) will hold its regular quarterly business meeting, which is open to the public. In addition to the regulatory actions, SRBC will review current hydrologic conditions and hear presentations from Larry Miller of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service on the 2007 migratory fish runs through the fish passage facilities at the lower Susquehanna River hydroelectric dams and Robert Shedlock of the U.S. Geological Survey on the findings from the Coastal Plain Aquifer Study.

SRBC also will present its Maurice Goddard Award for Excellence by a Water Management Professional to Mr. William Gast, Alternate PA Commissioner.

WHEN: Wednesday, June 13, 2007, 8:30 a.m.

WHO: SRBC commissioners and alternates voting at the meeting:

> **Dr. Robert Summers**, Deputy Secretary, MD Dept. of the Environment Cathy Curran Myers, Deputy Secretary, Office of Water Management

PA Dept. of Environmental Protection

BG Todd Semonite, Commander, North Atlantic Division

US Army Corps of Engineers

Kenneth Lynch, Director, Region 7, NY State Dept. of Environmental Conservation

SRBC officers participating in the meeting:

Paul Swartz, Executive Director Thomas Beauduy, Deputy Director

Duane Friends, Chief Administrative Officer **Deborah Dickey**, Secretary to the Commission

WHERE: Cecil Community College Conference Center, 1 Seahawk Drive, North East

**SRBC:** The Susquehanna River Basin Commission is the governing agency established

under a 100-year compact signed on December 24, 1970 by the federal

government and the states of New York, Pennsylvania and Maryland to protect and wisely manage the water resources of the Susquehanna River Basin. The Susquehanna River starts in Cooperstown, N.Y., and flows 444 miles to Havre de

Grace, Md., where the river meets the Chesapeake Bay.